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## Rep. Giuliano: Bond Commission Okays Funding to Clean Up Ferry Road Waste Site



Property will be Transferred to Old Saybrook After Remediation Work Finished

The State Bond Commission today authorized funding that will pay for the cleanup of state property on Ferry

Road in Old Saybrook near Route 9. The parcel eventually will be transferred to the town and used for recreational purposes, state Representative Marilyn Giuliano, R-23<sup>rd</sup> District, announced today.

The Bond Commission approved the funding (along with money for several other state road and bridge projects) as part of an omnibus bonding package for the state Department of Transportation at its monthly meeting today. State funding totaling \$1.5 million was approved for the project, Representative Giuliano said.

"After the cleanup is completed, ownership of the Ferry Road property will be transferred from the state to the town, which will develop it for recreational purposes, including a dog park and a small ball field for soccer and T-ball. It will mean more recreational opportunities for young people and provide residents with a fenced-in area where they can take their dogs and let them run free," Representative Giuliano said.

"The approval of this funding today means that the waste remediation project can get underway in the very near future," Representative Giuliano said.

The Ferry Road parcel is a former Department of Transportation maintenance facility, Representative Giuliano said.